

REMARKS**A. Status of the Specification**

As directed by the Examiner, Applicants have revised the claim to priority to include the language recommended by MPEP §201.11(III)(A). The updated version is shown on page 5 of this paper.

B. Status of the Claims and Explanation of the Amendments

Currently, claims 19-33 and 35 are pending in this application. Of these claims, claim 19 has been allowed, while claim 35 has been rejected under judicially created the doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting. In response to the rejection of claim 35, Applicants have submitted a terminal disclaimer along with this paper. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of claim 35 are respectfully requested.

The Examiner has objected to claims 20-33 for various informalities. Applicants have amended these claims as suggested by the Examiner. For example, the word “first” has been inserted before the word “stabilizer” in claim 20. Also, the word “of” found in line 1 of claim 24 has been deleted.

Applicants also point out that they have amended claim 19 so that it recites, *inter alia*, “a first stabilizer, wherein said first stabilizer...”. This amendment was made to keep the claim language in claim 19 consistent, and it adds the word “first” in accordance with the requirements set forth in 37 CFR 1.121(c)(2).

No new matter has been added by these amendments.

CONCLUSION

Based on the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of claims and allowance of this application.

AUTHORIZATION

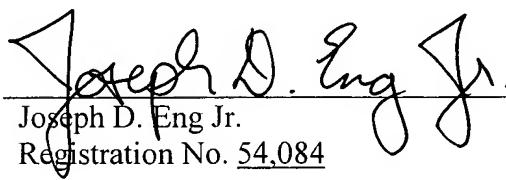
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for consideration of this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 0263-4045US3. A DUPLICATE OF THIS DOCUMENT IS ATTACHED.

In the event that an extension of time is required, or which may be required in addition to that requested in a petition for an extension of time, the Commissioner is requested to grant a petition for that extension of time which is required to make this response timely and is hereby authorized to charge any fee for such an extension of time or credit any overpayment for an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 0263-4045US3. A DUPLICATE OF THIS DOCUMENT IS ATTACHED.

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